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Applicants hereby call to the Examiner's attention the following documents which were  
cited in Information Disclosure Statements that were filed in the parent U.S. Application  
No. 10/345,233 and 10/345,291:

U.S. Patent No. 5,572,583 to WHEELER, Jr. et al., issued on November 5, 1996;

U.S. Patent No. 6,125,376 to KLARLUND et al., issued on September 26, 2000;

U.S. Patent No. 6,320,946 to ENZMANN et al., issued on November 20, 2001;

U.S. Patent No. 6,381,316 to JOYCE et al., issued on April 30, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,381,324 to SHAFFER et al., issued on April 30, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,404,876 to SMITH et al., issued on June 11, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,426,956 to ETEMINAN, issued on July 30, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,438,601 to HARDY, issued on August 20, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,456,616 to RANTANEN, issued on September 24, 2002;

U.S. Patent No. 6,631,186 to BLUMENSCHNEIN et al., issued on October 7, 2003. Applicants note that this document is discussed on page 19 of the specification of the instant application;

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0099776 to CAFARELLA et al., published on July 25, 2002;

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0076941 to BOOK et al., which was published on April 24, 2003. Applicants note that this document is discussed on pages 19, 22, and 28 of the specification of the instant application;

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0095651 to BOOK et al., which was published on May 22, 2003. Applicants note that this document is discussed on page 19 of the specification of the instant application;

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0168055 to CROCKETT et al., which was published on November 14, 2002. Applicants note that this document is discussed on page 44 of the specification of the instant application;

"Voice Extensible Markup Language (VoiceXML) Version 2.0", W3C Working Draft, October 23, 2001, <http://www.w3.org/TR/2001/WD-voicexml20-20011023/>;

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/545,459 to ADAMS et al., entitled "Internet Caller Identification System and Method", filed on April 7, 2000. Applicants note that this document is discussed on page 20 of the specification of the instant application;

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/619,312 to BHANDARI et al., entitled "System and Method for Providing Integrated Access by Subscribers to Customized

Telecommunication Services Management System", filed on July 19, 2000. Applicants note that this document is discussed on page 19 of the specification of the instant application; and

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/345,291 to CROCKETT et al., entitled "Voice Extensible Markup Language Enhancements of Intelligent Network Services", filed on January 16, 2003.

Copies of the above-noted documents are not enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98 (d)(i) as copies were already submitted in the parent applications.

The following documents are also brought to the Examiner's attention:

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0083882 to SHEMERS III et al., published May 1, 2003;

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0018476 to YUEN et al., published January 23, 2003;

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0043978 to GALLAGHER, published March 6, 2003;

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0108179 to CHANG et al., published June 12, 2003;

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0202504 to DHARA et al., published October 30, 2003;

UK Patent Application No. GB 2,386,289 to DEZONNO et al., published September 10, 2003;

International Publication No. WO 03/096664 to MATULA, published November 20, 2003;

Further to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(i), copies of the U.S. patents and patent publications are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

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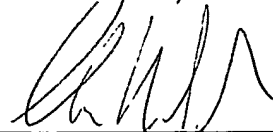
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1	"Voice Extensible Markup Language (VoiceXML) Version 2.0", W3C Working Draft, October 23, 2001, <a href="http://www.w3.org/TR/2001/WD-voicexml20-20011023/">http://www.w3.org/TR/2001/WD-voicexml20-20011023/</a> .

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